

MILAN EXCHANGE.

County Directory.

RAILROAD TIME-TABLE.

Louisville and Memphis Railroad.

TRAINS SOUTH.
Day Express, 6:30 a. m.; 10:30 a. m.; 2:30 p. m.; 6:30 p. m.
Night Express, 8:30 p. m.

TRAINS NORTH.

New York Express, 6:30 p. m.; 10:30 p. m.; 2:30 a. m.; 6:30 a. m.
Nashville Express, 8:30 p. m.

Mississippi Central Railroad.

NORTH.
Day Express, 6:30 a. m.; 10:30 a. m.; 2:30 p. m.; 6:30 p. m.
Night Express, 8:30 p. m.

SOUTH.
Day Express, 6:30 a. m.; 10:30 a. m.; 2:30 p. m.; 6:30 p. m.
Night Express, 8:30 p. m.

Train on either road, if necessary, wait half an hour for train on other.

Arrival and Departure of the Mails.

Arrive from the South and West at 6:45 p. m. From the East, 11:30 p. m. From the North, 6:45 a. m.

Depart North and East, 6:45 p. m. West, 11:30 p. m. South, 6:45 a. m.

J. G. Boyd, Postmaster.

COUNTY OFFICERS.

Jones, William, Sheriff.

M. C. Holmes, County Court Clerk.

R. E. Raines, Chancery Court Clerk.

Wm. Moore, Circuit Court Clerk.

W. M. Hafford, Coroner.

J. G. McEwen, Treasurer.

C. D. Allen, Tax Collector.

J. A. W. Hise, County Surveyor.

S. C. Carey, Superintendent Public Schools.

W. R. Cox, Registrar.

CITY OFFICERS.

A. Jordan, Mayor and Recorder.

J. L. Williamson, City Attorney.

J. J. McDonald, City Marshal.

Dr. J. G. Boyd, M. L. Baird, Wilson Williamson, S. F. Rankin, W. J. House, J. H. Dickinson, Aldermen.

CHURCHES.

Baptist—Church street, J. P. Weaver, Pastor.

Presbyterian—Fourth street, J. P. Weaver, Pastor.

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SPARKS.

Strawberries have "played out."

The Central road has changed its schedule.

A fine rain fell east of this place last Saturday.

Mr. M. L. Baird is building a new brick residence on Taylor street.

A plank walk is being laid from Williamson street down Second street to the Baptist church.

A negro man was arrested for disorderly conduct at the colored school exhibition Friday. He got off with \$25 and costs.

The colored free school had closing exercises last Friday. It was a general holiday with the darkeys, and enjoyed by them.

A "news butcher" on the afternoon Memphis train Tuesday was arrested and detained here for obtaining money under false pretense. We did not learn his name.

If a young gentleman walks four hundred yards to call upon a young lady merely to ask her if she is fond of lemonade, and then departs, what are we to infer?

An excursion train will leave here this morning for Paducah, via the Mississippi Central and Memphis and Paducah roads. Tickets two dollars for the round trip. Atmore, at the ticket office, sells them.

David Covington, who was under bond for his appearance at the next term of the Law Court at Humboldt, was delivered up to the Sheriff Saturday by W. A. Elam, his bondsman. Covington had intimated that he would forfeit his bond.

A subscriber of the EXCHANGE requests us to say that "a splinter from a tree struck by lightning is a sure cure for the toothache. All you have to do is to pick the aching tooth with it." We imagine a man's faith would have to be very strong.

We have received a circular announcing that a Six Weeks' Normal Institute will be held somewhere in Gibson or Obion counties, commencing July 15th. Teachers wishing information will write to W. F. Shropshire, Superintendent of Obion county.

The Cincinnati Times recommends for "hypochondriacism": "R—Spys, vin, Otard, xi; saccharine whitum mashum, q. s.; aqua congalibus, q. s.; nintum someum, 6 sprigs; shakum likellum, q. r.; strawum elongatus, 1; sukum thrumum." Who can fill this prescription in Milan?

A young man by the name of Jas. Baker stole \$129 from a gentleman living in Greenfield last Friday evening and came to this place the next morning, remaining here until evening, when he left for parts unknown. He came from Benton county, and had been in Greenfield only a few weeks.

Several of our citizens speak of organizing a crusade against the multitude of worthless curs that infest our streets every night. In some neighborhoods it is almost impossible to sleep for their noise. We will join that crusade. Let us raise the black flag and exterminate every purp caught away from home. There are mad dogs about, and they are dangerous.

We have received a programme of the exercises of the Chi-Deita and Philomathean Societies of the East Tennessee University, to take place next Monday evening. The orators are W. B. Aragsdale and Robert P. Foote, of Knoxville. Debaters, J. W. Caldwell, Knoxville; J. R. Goodpasture, Livingston; T. J. McLemore, Brownsville, and T. H. Cook, Chattanooga.

Large line of desirable spring and summer clothing for men and boys to close, at cost at E. A. Collins'. 11

The very best place to buy millinery goods is at the Fashion Bazaar of Mrs. E. A. Duffy. A handsome line of children's suits on hand. 12

Directors Elected.

At a meeting of the stockholders of Milan College, held in the Court-room last Thursday afternoon, A. C. Pearce and M. L. Baird were elected to fill the places as directors of B. A. Williamson, Deceased, and J. H. Yancy, removed.

My entire stock of dry-goods, clothing, hardware, queensware, glassware, silverware, hats, boots, shoes and furniture must be closed out at once at cost. (11) E. A. COLLINS.

New bonnets, hats, ribbons, etc., just received by Mrs. E. A. DUFFY. 12

Wheat Harvest.

Our farmers are busy this week cutting their wheat. Take it altogether, it is the best crop raised in this section in many years. Nearly or quite enough has been raised to feed the country. This will be money saved.

Go to R. J. Robertson's for your choice groceries. 11

For cash, Williams, Smith & Co. sell the cheapest goods. 11

Old Papers.

We have on hand a lot of old newspapers, which can be bought at one dollar per hundred.

Large and well assorted stock of ladies' collars, collarettes and other neckwear, ribbons, laces, edging, insertings, etc., etc., at cost at 11 E. A. COLLINS'.

Bargains! bargains! bargains! at Mrs. E. A. DUFFY. 14

MEETING OF THE CITY COUNCIL.

The Board met last Monday evening, pursuant to adjournment. Present: A. Jordan, Mayor; J. H. Dickinson, Wils. Williamson, W. J. House, S. F. Rankin, M. L. Baird, Aldermen; and J. L. McDonald, City Marshal.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and adopted.

The Street Committee asked for and obtained further time to report concerning the opening of alleys between Main and First streets. They also obtained further time to report concerning the repairing of the well on Railroad avenue.

The report of Committee on Catalogues was received, and on motion the recommendation rejected.

The Committee appointed to settle with the Tax Collector submitted the following report, which, upon motion, was received and committee discharged:

We, the undersigned committee appointed to settle with J. L. McDonald, Tax Collector for the town of Milan, beg leave to submit the following report. This, June 8, 1874:

Am't taxes assessed in 1872, \$ 701 80

Total amount for 1872-73, 1296 25

Amount of credits, 1872-73, 1372 50

Commission, 100 81

Released, 30 30

Amount uncollected, 276 62

not paid over, 157 17

Balance due him for services as City Marshal for 1872-73, 40 00

Total amount due the town of Milan from J. L. McDonald, minus the \$276.62 uncollected, which we recommended be turned over to the present Tax Collector, 87 17

All of which is respectfully submitted.

S. F. RANKIN, W. J. HOUSE, A. JORDAN, Committee.

The same committee was appointed to settle with the Tax Collector for the years 1870-71.

On motion of W. J. House, the tipplers' petition to reduce the privilege tax was rejected.

The following accounts were allowed and ordered to be paid:

W. A. Wade, \$ 4.20

Baird & Sims, 2.50

James Kendrick, 29.25

J. P. Weatherford, 5.08

Hann & Williamson, 43.45

Account of W. J. House and Dr. Scott for \$2.00 was rejected.

On motion, W. J. House, S. F. Rankin and M. L. Baird were appointed to examine the present calaboose lot, and if not advisable to build on it to select and purchase another site immediately.

On motion, M. L. Baird and W. J. House were released of the fines imposed upon them at the last meeting.

On motion of S. F. Rankin, the tax books were ordered to be turned over to W. J. House, the Tax Collector, upon his giving bond.

There being no further business the Board adjourned.

For cheap clothing go to 15 STONE & MILLS.

The ladies will find some rare bargains in fine dress goods at cost at 11 E. A. COLLINS'.

Entirely too Personal.

We learn that the Trimmer House, at Milan, has again changed hands, and is at this time being run by W. A. Wade, editor and proprietor of the MILAN EXCHANGE—Huntington People's Paper.

Now we wish all the world, "and the rest of mankind," to know that we have retired from the hotel business. It don't pay, especially when run by a country newspaper editor. There are too many railroads crossing here, and we are entirely too convenient to our neighbors of the press. They would "eat out" any hotel in creation in two weeks. Of course we could not think of charging them anything—and if we did that would not make any difference, as their promises to pay would not buy meat and bread. It's all a mistake. We are busted—eat out. In fact, we seriously think of passing around our hat for a collection, but it is too holy to be used for such a purpose.

Fresh supply of sugar and molasses, etc., at 15 STONE & MILLS.

Call at R. J. Robertson's for your shirts, collars and scarfs. 11

Important Enterprise.

One of the most extensive and useful enterprises in our city is the carriage and wagon manufactory of R. D. James, on Main street. He has on hand and is selling large numbers of wagons, buggies of the latest styles, carriages, etc., all of his own manufacture. We saw an elegant turn-out in his shop the other day, intended for a gentleman in Humboldt. He has first-class workmen and can furnish anything in his line at the lowest figures. He also keeps in stock a fine assortment of burial cases.

Go to Williams, Smith & Co. for cheap clothing, hats and shoes. 11

If you want to save money, buy your goods from STONE & MILLS.

New House.

H. L. Dickinson has just opened a stock of goods in the new brick, corner of Main street and Depot Square, and is prepared to sell, as he says, "cheaper than anybody." If you want bargains, give him a call.

A No-1 Music Teacher in Milan College. Salary good. Address DISTRICT DIRECTORS.

Dangerous Amusement.

Last Saturday night a peripatetic "toe-dentist," after going around all day drinking, as we understand, and making himself generally obnoxious, when he attempted to open up his business on Main street, received a pelting with rotten eggs and a coat of oil and blacking when turned loose. Now, we "do n't know this man from Adam," and he may have deserved punishment even worse than he got; but it is wise, in its good policy for thoughtless persons (we do n't believe them malicious) to be guilty of such conduct? Is it not dangerous to the town? Will it not give Milan a lawless character abroad? Milan aspires to the dignity of a city; therefore, she ought to be careful of her good name. Every man ought to be law-abiding and assist the authorities in enforcing the law. There are other reasons we might give, but will not, as thoughtful persons will know well enough what they are. Now, boys, in future let us refrain from any such ugly affair as occurred last Saturday night. Let us all pull together and make Milan not only the "livest" town in the State, but the best one as to morals. We have a good Board of Aldermen and efficient officers. Let them take care of all vagabonds and rascals generally. Mayor Jordan will get more good out of them for the town than any one else; and, if he should happen to get hold of the egg-throwers, he might cause them to contribute at least "ten dollars and the costs."

Mrs. E. A. Duffy is receiving new millinery goods every week. 12

Buy your spun cotton from R. J. Robertson. 11

The Tennessee Central.

The proposition of Dr. Lea, President of the Tennessee Central Railroad, that the Nashville, Chattanooga and St. Louis Railroad Company endorse the bonds of the former, has been declined by President Cole, on the ground that this could be done only by the stockholders. President Cole has, however, proposed that the latter company would complete and equip the road from Huntington to Trenton on the following conditions:

First, Trenton should issue the remainder of the \$50,000 stock subscribed, Milan issue an additional \$10,000, and Huntington issue \$10,000.

Second, The balance due on individual subscriptions to be collected; this, together with the various bonds, to be deposited with the Treasurer of the Nashville, Chattanooga and St. Louis Railway Company, and held as collateral security.—Union and American.

Milan thinks she has already subscribed enough. There has been money plenty raised, our people think, to complete the road from Huntington to Trenton, if it had been judiciously used. We think our people would be willing to make the Chattanooga road a present of the stock of Milan in the Tennessee Central if she will build the road to this point and start it to running.

Large stock of Clothing just received at Stone & Mills'. 15.

Buy your choice teas, coffees and sugars from R. J. ROBERTSON.

Personal.

S. M. Pearce, Esq., one of our best citizens, is announced for Register. We have no doubt he will leave this precinct with a large majority.

Judge Williamson, who has been confined to his room at the City Hotel for several days, we are glad to learn, was so far improved as to be able to leave for Bon Aqua Springs, Tuesday night.

Col. H. C. Fisher, route agent for the Southern Express Company, was in the city last Tuesday, lively, fat and busy.

The family of Gen. J. B. Hood passed up on the Mississippi Central last Thursday, on their way to Canada, to spend the summer.

Rev. Wellborn Mooney, of the Tennessee Conference, stopped a few hours here last Saturday.

Rev. C. Y. Rankin, of Dyersburg, is here, visiting his family and friends. He reports everything in Dyer in a flourishing condition.

Mr. Dunnaway and family, of Arkansas, arrived here a few days since and will take immediate control of the Milan Hotel.

Doors, Sash and Blinds, cheaper than ever before offered in Milan. HALE, VANHOOK & CO.

Splendid ladies, misses and children's hats at cost by E. A. COLLINS.

Literary.

The following is a faithful transcript of a postal card recently received at the post-office in this city. Dr. Sharpe has not yet informed us if he has sent the mare.

"I fast thrust I'd send this postcard to the Postmaster, but I have sense concluded to make it up to you, please send me to me in a letter and oblige yours"

For Ladies Dress Goods, call on Williams, Smith & Co. 11

All goods at cost and no joking, by 11 E. A. COLLINS.

Preaching.

Rev. C. Y. Rankin, of Dyersburg, one of "our boys," preached at the Methodist church last Sunday morning and evening. His sermons were sound, well-worded and well delivered. We think he will make his mark in the pulpit when he grows a little older.

For the Milan Exchange.